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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Reports received in Raleigh indicate a Democratic majority for the State ticket of 50,000 to 60,000; nine Democratic Congressmen are certain. —— Mr. Vanderlip addressed a large gathering of business men last night in Charlotte. —— It is believed that Alabama will return a solid Democratic delegation to Congress, and elect the State ticket by 30,000 majority. —— Negro who assaulted and killed a white woman, the wife of a prominent planter, near Salem, Ala., was lynched by citizens. —— The new State law requiring separate street cars in New Orleans for whites and blacks is being enforced with difficulty. —— The battleship Texas has been made ready for service at the Norfolk navy yard, on rush orders; it is reported she will proceed at one to isthmian waters. —— Democratic party leaders in New York claim that Coler, Democrat, will be elected Governor by 50,000 majority; Republicans, on the other hand, claim the State by 37,000. —— Ohio Democrats claim that they will gain three Congressmen, certainly two. —— New York markets: Money on call was quoted firm at 4@5 per cent.; cotton dull at 8.60c; flour was dull and 5 to 10 points lower; wheat—spot easier, No. 2 red 77c; corn—spot easy; No. 2 65c; oats—spot easy, No. 2, 34c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine dull.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 3

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 46 degrees. 8 P. M., 62 degrees; maximum, 72 degrees; minimum, 45 degrees; mean, 58 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, .00.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday; Wednesday increasing cloudiness; light variable winds, mostly northeast.

Port Almanac—November 4.

Sun Rises	6.35 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.02 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 37 M.
High Water at Southport	10.34 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	1.04 A. M.

Senators Hoar and Hanna differ about the tariff, but they will get together when it becomes necssary.

Some fellows in Philadelphia got a corner on peppermint and ran the price up fifty per cent., which made the local candy manufacturers hot.

According to *Poor's Manual* for 1902 the railroad mileage of this country is now something over 200,000 miles, an increase of 4,453 miles over last year.

There are fourteen different languages spoken in one factory in Hannibal, Mo. In taking the inventory the dead languages, and the deaf and dumb languages were not counted.

Olga Nethersole is posing as Sapho, in Dublin, and some the papers are giving her "fits." But as Sapho doesn't wear much clothes, and these rather loose, fits don't bother her.

The New York police are lacking ing courtesy. A fellow walked in the other day, confessed that he had murdered Albert C. Latimer, who was assassinated in his home some time ago, and they refused to believe him.

As the election will be over to-day for some time perhaps the brutal cartoonists will give Mark Hanna a rest and make it possible for his fellow citizens to see him as he really is, and then one of Mark's grievances will be removed.

Lord Kelvin, of England, says the world's supply of coal, at the present rate of consumption, will be exhausted in 400 years; but Mr. F. E Seward, editor of the *Coal Trade Journal*, dispels the gloom by assuring us that there is coal enough under ground to last for 1,500 years, so that we need not cut our allowance yet awhile.

There is a good deal of money invested in the manufacture of exhilarating beverages in this country, $415,284,468 in the production of malt liquors, $32,551,604 in the production of distilled liquors, and $9,838,015 in the production of wines, and there hasn't been any decrease since Carrie Nation started out on her hatchet campaign.

Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin, thinks it would be a splendid thing if some strong Republican like Roosevelt and a strong Republican Senate and House could be elected for twenty years. That would be fine for the Republican party, but why not make it forty or fifty years, or make it a life shift and be done with these "demagogic tearups" to which Mr. Spooner so much objects.

A MOST INHUMAN WRETCH.

Fought Madly in House in Which His Wife and Child Lay Corpses—Tore Clothing From Their Bodies.

A most revolting circumstance, showing the sometimes utter inhumanity of man, is reported by Justice G. W. Bornemann as having occurred in the extreme southeastern section of the city late yesterday afternoon.

W. H. Jones, a colored plumber, who lives on Tenth street, lost his wife and six-months-old child the same day and went out among his friends to solicit funds with which to pay funeral expenses. While away the negro went to drinking. When he returned to his house, in which the wife and child lay dead, he began to raise a disturbance with his mother-in-law. He was beating the woman and was tearing the clothes from the corpses which lay on the bed, when in response to a call from neighbors, Justice Bornemann arrived on the scene and arrested the negro, who fought the officer madly. Mr. A. Silvermann luckily happened along about the same time and he and Justice Bornemann hustled the wretch to jail in short order.

The negro is held for trial Wednesday at noon. Justice Bornemann says he doesn't know what the charge will be, but he will see that punishment suitable to the crime will be imposed.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Have you voted?

— This is election day.

— Spot cotton yesterday, 8 cents.

— "The Girl Up There" is a show for "men only"—very decidedly.

— Five schooners are here for cargoes from the Cape Fear Lumber Co.

— Examine your tickets. All sorts of bogus ballots are floating around.

— Vote first, and then keep up your Karnival kapers. "Business before pleasure."

— The horse editor is sporting a one-dollar watch this week. "Beware of pickpockets."

— You can vote "early;" but you can't vote "often," as you did for Kween of the Karnival.

— Work was begun yesterday on the permanent improvement of Chesnut street, between Front and Second.

— There'll be "sumthin' doin'" in the office of THE MORNING STAR tonight. Come in and get the election news.

— Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D., will begin a series of four lectures at the Y. M. C. A. men's meetings next Sunday afternoon. His subjects will be announced later.

— By deed filed for record yesterday S. W. Sanders and wife transferred to W. J. Moore, of Charlotte, cottage and lot on Wrightsville Beach; consideration, $800.

— Florence, S. C., will have a Pythian Carnival from Nov. 18th-22nd. The Layton Company goes from Wilmington to Sumter, S. C., then to Florence and then to Charleston, S. C.

— The health department yesterday raised the quarantine for scarlet fever at the residence of Mr. F. H. Krahnke, 711 South Second street. Mr. Krahnke's little son, 14 years old, had the disease.

— The second of a series of entertainments will be given in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Monday evening, Nov. 17th. Mrs. Samuel J. Springer and Mr. Kimbrough Jones will contribute the musical features.

— License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Miss Mabel Chadwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Chadwick, of Cape Fear township, to Mr. Richard B Farr, son of Mrs. Sallie F. Farr, of Onslow county.

— Saturday night a burglar entered the residence of Mr. J. A. Miller, corner of Tenth and Chesnut streets. Five dollars in money was stolen from a mantlepiece in his son's room. Entrance was effected through a window.

— National and State election returns will be taken to-night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Those interested are invited. A small admission to cover the cost of the telegraph service will be charged.

— When the horse edltor inventored his wallet yesterday and found that it contained only a piece of Spring poetry, one love-letter and a fire-alarm card, he decided that there was no use in putting it in his burglar-proof safe.

— Only two arrests were made by the police last night, which is not altogether bad for the opening of the Carnival. There was no sign of pickpockets in the crowds. Chief Furlong has 15 extra policemen to take care of the "push."

— Arrived Sunday: Schooner *Josephine*, Philadelphia, with cargo of bag fertilizers for the Carolina Central railroad; schooner *Edward Stewart*, Philadelphia, for cargo from the Cape Fear Lumber Co.; British schooner *Britania*, Boston, for cargo from Kidder Lumber Co. for West Indies.

— Sunday at 1:48 P. M. fire at the residence of Mrs. C. B. Dudley, No. 119 Castle street, caused a damage of $150 to the building and $50 to furniture. The building belonged to Mr. Wm. Goodman and both losses were fully insured with Col. Walker Taylor. The fire started from a defective flue.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Vollers & Hashagen—We sell.
G. R. French & Sons—"Selz Shoes."

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Regular Monthly Meeting of the City Council Was Held Last Night.

AFTER THE SLOT MACHINES.

An Ordinance Introduced Taxing Them $10 Per Month—Maj. W. F. Robertson Elected City Engineer—Mont Pelee Eruption.

The Board of Aldermen met last night in regular monthly meeting, those present having been Mayor Waddell and Aldermen Hashagen, Sweeney, Johnson, Bailey, Spencer, Mann, VonGlahn, Cooper, Murrell and Tiencken.

At the request of Alderman VonGlahn, who made a statement in reference to the matter, the ordinance prohibiting the use of fireworks west of Front street was suspended during the Carnival week in favor of the Mont Pelee eruption.

Mr. Bailey opposed the matter without qualification. He said the direction and velocity of the wind on the night of the pyrotechnics should be taken into account, and the matter should be left to the Mayor. Manager Layton, of the Layton Carnival Co., was present and made a statement as to the utter impossibility of danger. Chief Schnibben, of the Fire Department, also made the statement that one of his men had seen the eruption in Portsmouth, and he was satisfied there was no danger of a conflagration. Mr. Cooper, chairman of the Fire Committee, said the proper safeguards in the way of having firemen present would be attended to. Chief Schnibben was present and took cognizance of what was said and done.

Dr. W. C. Galloway, in behalf of the Pythians of the city, cordially thanked the Board for its kindness in this and other matters in connection with the Carnival.

Mr. Sweeney moved to adjourn for the Carnival, but the Mayor suggested that there was important business for transaction. He said that the chief engineer for the Wilmington Sewerage Co. desired to tear up Princess street, between Front and Second, for the purpose of restoring that street; also that the Bell Telephone Co. desired to begin work on the other side of the street for the purpose of laying its conduits for the underground system of wires. The Mayor said that he had peremptorily refused a permit because of the Carnival, election, etc., and because since Capt. W. G. McRae had declined the office of city surveyor there was no one to supervise the work as required by the ordinance.

Mr. Bailey placed in nomination Maj. W. F. Robertson for city surveyor and he was unanimously elected. Upon motion of Mr. Sweeney and second by Mr. Tiencken, it was ordered that in the event Maj. Robertson declines the office, that the Mayor appoint some one temporarily for the urgent work.

Mr. Hashagen offered the following ordinance, drawn by City Attorney Bellamy, by request:

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, the Board of Audit and Finance concurring:

SECTION 1. Any person, firm or corporation having on a street, alley or other place, or in any shop, store, hotel, boarding-house, depot or public or private room in the corporate limits of the City of Wilmington, a slot machine of any description, into which are dropped pennies, nickels, or coins of other denomination, where the return is not of a certain fixed value and quality in the amount returned in every instance in which any penny, nickel or coin of other denomination is deposited in said slot machine, shall pay to the City of Wilmington in advance a monthly license tax of ten dollars for each and every machine operated.

SEC. 2. Each slot machine taxed under this ordinance shall have the license of the City Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Wilmington conspicuously posted upon it.

SEC. 3. Nothing herein shall be construed as giving license or relieving such persons or establishments from any penalties incurred by violation of the law relating to gambling.

SEC. 4. Any one violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined $20 for each machine operated for each 24 hours in which said machine or machines are operated.

Mr. Sweeney favored making the license $75 per year, payable monthly in advance. Mr. Hashagen said there were 30 or more of these machines in the city and each of them took in from $60 to $80 a day, one-third of the amount going to the proprietor of the place in which the machine is located.

Mr. Bailey moved as a substitute that the whole matter be laid on the table. The substitute was lost, Mr. Bailey alone voting in the affirmative. Mr. Sweeney's $75 amendment was lost in a vote of 6 to 4. Upon the original ordinance there was a vote of 5 to 5 and the Mayor cast the vote in favor of passing the ordinance. Mr. Sweeney asked for unanimous passage so that the ordinance could go into effect at once, but unanimous consent could not be obtained, Messrs. Bailey and Mann refusing to vote. The Mayor said the ordinance would have to go over to the next meeting for passage as no ordinance could be introduced and passed at the same meeting without unanimous consent.

A communication was read from the Seamen's Friend Society asking the suppression of the dance hall in the rear of C. A. Stern's saloon on Water street. Mr. Sweeney moved for the revocation of Mr. Stern's liquor license and same was seconded by Mr. Von Glahn and carried unanimously.

Upon motion of Mr. Tiencken an adjournment was taken until next Wednesday night.

The report of the Chief of the Fire Department showed 15 alarms during the month with losses not exceeding $200.

The report of the Superintendent of Health showed a record of 58 deaths, 17 white and 41 colored; 79 births, 39 while, 50 colored. The health officers made 4,103 inspections; issued 614 lime and acid orders; did 8 fumigations, and quarantined 4 cases of scarlet fever and 2 of diphtheria death having resulted in one of the latter. One case of typhoid fever was reported. The trash carts hauled 1,158 loads. There has been much complaint to the office about trash remaining on the streets. It is stated in the report that the Health office has no direct control of the trash carts since the change some months ago, and it is suggested that the change is not beneficial from a sanitary standpoint. It is also stated in the report that the alley on the north side of the market continues to emit unsanitary odors and will continue so long as there is no effort to have a concrete pavement put there so the place can be flushed each day after market hours. It is also suggested that the hucksters should be stopped from selling shrimps and oysters from the Front street side of the market and have all sea food sold from the alley. The scavengers report 1,824 premises cleared during the month.

THE ELECTION COMES TO-DAY.

Democrats Warned to Look Out for Fake Tickets—Polls Open at Sunrise; Will Close at Sunset.

The election, State, Congressional, County and Township, will take place to-day, and before this paper gets to many of its readers the battle of ballots will have begun, for the polls open at sunrise and close at sunset. The hours are 6:30 A. M. and 5:07 P. M. The polling places have already been given in these columns. There will be four ballot boxes at each precinct, as follows:

1. One ballot will be names of the candidates for Corporation Commissioner, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Justices of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Superior Court.

2. On another ballot will be the name of the candidate for member of Congress.

3. On another ballot will be the names of the candidate for solicitor, members of the General Assembly, and all the county officers.

4 On another ballot will be the names of the candidates for township officers.

Chairman Geo. L. Peschau, of the Democratic County Executive Committee, last night gave out the following timely warning to the voters of his party.

"Every voter is urged to carefully examine his ballot before depositing it. The number of decoy or bogus tickets extant is really surprising. Substitutions range on the State and Judicial tickets from those in which the name of Thomas N. Hill is given in place of Walter Clark, the Democratic nominee for Chief Justice of the Supreme Corut, to those in which the only Democrats carried are Connor and Walker, the Democratic candidates for Associate Justices of the Supreme Court. For county and Legislative offices there are decoy tickets extant which carry the regular Democratic nominees for Clerk of Superior Court, Sheriff, Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Surveyor and Coroner, but have substituted the Republican or 'Independent' nominee, Cyrus M. Faircloth, for Rodolph Duffy, the Democratic nominee for Solicitor, and the names of R. M. Wescott and J. M. Forshee the Republican or 'Independent' candidates for the Senate and House of Resentatives, respectively, in place of Geo. H. Bellamy, Democratic nominee for the Senate, and Geo. L. Morton, Democratic nominee for the House of Representatives.

"The use of the names of the Democratic nominees on these tickets is, of course, unauthorized by them."

Approaching Marriage at Currie.

Miss Thyra Topping Lucas, the attractive daughter of Dr. Geo. F. Lucas, of Currie, Pender county, N. C., will be married at the residence of her father at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, November 5th, to Dr. James Randolph Thomson, of Bucksport, S. C. The numerous friends of the young people in this section extend happiest congratulations upon the announcement.

An Estimate From New York.

From a conservative source in the banking circles of New York a gentleman in the city last night received a telegram stating that bets were being made in the Empire State all the way from six to one to six to four in favor of Coler. The telegram concludes: "It looks like Coler."

Capt. Winslow Here.

Capt. E. E. Winslow, who is to have charge of the local corps of U. S. Engineers at Wilmington, succeeding Capt. Lucas, arrived yesterday and is being cordially received. The STAR in behalf of the city, extends to Capt. Winslow a cordial welcome to the community.

Lumber Mill Fire.

The immense planing mill and lumber shed of the Bridgers and McKeithan Lumber Company, at Lumber, S. C., were burned about daylight Sunday morning. The damage is about $30,000; partially covered by insurance.

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THE CARNIVAL HERE.

Ushered In Last Night With Ceremonies Befitting an Occasion of Its Kind.

THE FAIR DISTRICT CROWDED.

Shows Here to the Number of Twenty, Including All—Queen Names Maids of Honor—What Was Seen and Heard Last Night—Notes.

The great Knights of Pythias Carnival and Merchants' Fall Festival of 1902 opened at 7 o'clock last evening with a wild concatenation of shrieks and whistles, the clanging of bells and roar of cannon, the flashing of electrics and shouts of enthusiasm from hundreds of merry makers who thronged the down town districts to get a glimpse of the start. The handsome welcome arch at Front and Chesnut streets in an instant was flooded with lights, and everywhere the carnival spirit for the moment was at its height. The message flashed over the wire by Grand Chancellor J. L. Scott, of Graham, N. C., formally opening the Fair, read as follows:

"*W. F. Robertson, Chairman Amusement Committee, Wilmington, N.C.*:

"Greetings to Wilmington Pythians. May success crown all your efforts and the Carnival of 1902, which I now declare formally open, result in great good to our knightly order.

"J. L. SCOTT, JR.,
"Grand Chancellor."

The salute by the Naval Reserves consisted of twenty-five guns from the Division's Hotchkiss, and was conducted by a gun crew of sixteen, in charge of Mr. J. H. LeGwin. Miss Mary Vaughn had the honor of firing the first salute.

When the din incident to the opening had subsided Hollowbush's Band, in the gayly decorated stand in front of Gerken's, began a 30-minute concert, with the "Pythian Carnival Grand March" as the opening number. At 7:30 P. M. the Second Regiment Band and Hollowbush's Band boarded one of the suburban cars of the C. R., L. & P. Co., and went for a parade of the city, playing lively airs en route. The parade was one of the best features of the opening.

At 8 o'clock the various attractions opened with the exception of a few which it was impossible to get ready in time. The crowds were immense; the down town streets were simply alive with people of all sizes, classes and condition. And they were all out for fun, too, and if they didn't have it, they have nobody to blame but themselves. Confetti battles were soon drawn and the fighting was fast, funny and furious. The northeast corner of Front and Market streets was the scene of the wildest contest. Boys on the streets could not peddle the little packages of vari-colored paper fast enough. Individuals, who had no stomach for the fight, tried to depart, but they couldn't. Their hair, eyes, mouths and noses were literally stuffed with the tantalizing material. Market street, from Front to Second, was simply impassable except at the will of the crowd, in the center of which one often found himself or herself. On Front street down town it was nearly the same way. It is odd to say, when speaking of the wide open town, but "standing room was at a premium." The crowds were good natured, too, and seemed rather to like being jostled to and fro indiscriminately. It was the condition they met "down street" and they faced it bravely.

The various shows, fifteen in number, were well patronized and Manager Layton, of the Carnival Co., says he's overwhelmed with the reception the people are giving him. He says he'll try to merit every bit of it and is putting his very "best foot foremost" to please the Wilmington people. The patronage here, he says, is away ahead of what he received in Raleigh. An official list of the locations of the shows is as follows:

Electric Wonderland with Kinetoscope views of Mt. Pelee, Front and Chesnut streets, facing West. Statue Turning to Life and Poses Plastique, Front and Chestnut, facing East.

The Girl From Up There, Front and Princess streets, facing East. Target shooting and cane rack, facing West.

Ferris Wheel, Front street, in front of A. Shrier's.

Streets of India, Front and Market streets, facing East. Introducing Colombo, the largest elephant in the world. Performance 45 minutes in length and pronounced the very best on the grounds. Four exhibitions daily.

Osay, Eats 'em Alive, Front and Market streets, facing South. Eats live, crawling reptiles before your very eyes.

Col. Hall's Mammoth World's Fair Zoo, hundreds of tamed wild beasts, Front and Market, facing west.

Electric Mount Pelee, an exact reproduction, Front and Market streets, facing north.

Gay Paris, Market street, opposite Shepard's drug store.

Madison Square Garden Cycle Whirl, one of the best shows on the midway, Market street, opposite the Bonitz House.

Riding Gallery and Hobby Horses, centre of square Second and Market streets.

Old Plantation, Second and Market, facing north.

The Wild Man, captured in swamps of Alabama, Second and Market, facing south.

Motor Cycle and daring riding feats, Front and Dock streets.

Sandwiched between the various shows are all shades and types of palmist and fortune telling tents, cane and knife racks, balloon venders, etc., etc.

The free shows and the hours at which they take place daily are as follows: Lotto, the high diver, 4:30 and 9:30 P. M., Market between Second and Third streets. Harry Castello, flying trapeze performer, at 3 and 8 P. M., Front and Market streets. The Adams', trapeze performing, 2:30 and 8:30 P. M. at Front and Chesnut streets. Balloon ascension and parachute descent, each afternoon at 3:30 o'clock on vacant lot corner Third Market streets.

The Layton shows arrived on a special train over the Seaboard Air Line from Raleigh Sunday at 12:30 P. M. Although everything was done to get the shows in readiness, several could not be gotten ready for last night's performance. To-night every one of them will be in "full swing" and it will then be time to pay them a visit. The day performance will begin this afternoon at 1 o'clock, but on the remaining days of the Carnival all the shows will open at 9 A. M.

The following ticket takers are requested to report at Pythian headquarters at 12:45 P. M. for badges and instructions:

Statute to Life.....J. F. Littleton.
Electric Mt. Pelee.....Wm Wallace.
Girl From Up There.....B. O. Franks.
Streets of India.....O. M. Fillyaw.
Animal Show.....J. M. Holmes.
Electric Theatre.....R. S. Collins.
Gay Paris.....J. D. Nutt.
Cycle Whirl.....Emmett Crow.
Merry Go Round.....J. L. Brimer.
Old Plantation.....R. G. Holmes
Wildman.....Eugene LeGrand
Motor Cycle.....Victor Bordeaux
Snake Eater.....A. S. Holden
Ferris Wheel.....Junius Potts

The following ticket takers are requested to report at 6:45 P. M. for duty to-night:

Animal Show.....C. D. Yarborough
Statue to Life.....J. T. Jennings
Streets of India.....F. W. Sears
Old Plantation.....E. H. Batson
Motor Cycle.....W. B. Thomas
Wild Man.....H. L. Deans
Snake Eater.....A. Alligood
Cycle Wheel.....H. Maultsby
Electric Theatre.....L. T. Norris
Ferris Wheel.....C. R. Anderson
Gay Paris.....W. O. Page
Girl from Up There.....E. Forahee
Mt. Pelee.....I. W. Cooper

The Features To-morrow.

Wednesday will be Pythian Day and Thursday will be Mont Pelee Day. These are confidently expected to be the biggest days of the Fair.

At 8:30 Wednesday night the great Pythian parade will take place, according to the plans previously outlined. The start will be from Castle Hall, over the Murchison National Bank building, and all Pythians are expected to be in line. The Queen of the Carnival, Miss Mamie McGirt, will be in an elaborate float with five maids of honor, whom she named yesterday as follows: Misses Edna Fleet, Isabel Struthers, Lily Horne, Bella Lawther and Clara Adkins. The coronation exercises will take place at foot of Market street with appropriate ceremony.

The Mt. Pelee eruption will take place Thursday night from barges on the river, permission having been granted last night by the Board of Aldermen. It will be one of the most picturesque features of the fair and is put on at a cost to the Pythians of over $500. For the benefit of those on the W. & W. road who desire to come down for this attraction, a special train leaving Thursday midnight to take them home has been arranged for.

A concert by Hollowbush's band will be given in the band stand this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

SUPERIOR COURT TO-MORROW.

Term Delayed By Election To-day Will Be Convened at 10 O'Clock A. M.

The New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases only will be convened to-morrow and will remain in session one week. Judge Henry R. Bryan, of Newbern, will preside. There are 58 cases on the docket, but less than half of them will be reached. Jail cases will doubtless be taken up first and the remainder will be continued until another one-week term for criminal matters, which convenes Nov. 24th. Two of the cases for trial this term are murder cases. In each of them accidental killing is set up for the defence, and in neither will the verdict likely be in the first degree. The defendants in both cases are young negroes.

The jury drawn for this week is as follows: T. D. Love, John J. Windley, W. K. King, C. D. Yarborough, Samuel Northrop, E. B. Harr, Thos. H. Robbins, L. C. Craig, T. S. Toler, Hugh MacRae, P. E. Dillard, Chas. V. Motte, A. M. Baldwin, Geo. W. Millis, J. A. Perry, G. W. Futch, D. F. Barnes, P. H. Walsh, Baxter Croom, J. A. Taylor, Walter G. MacRae, Chas. W. Hill, John C. Boesch, E. R. Foster, N. M. Hunt, J. R. Brand, Eric Norden, T. O. Bunting, Jr., Thos. G. Evans, John A. Biddle, W. H. Bernard, John A. Everett, Joseph Britt, J. D. Whitehurst, F. E. Hashagen, Joseph J. Johnson.

THE CAPE FEAR GOLF CLUB.

Annual Meeting Held Last Night—Officers for the Ensuing Term.

The annual meeting of the Cape Fear Golf Club was held last evening at the home of Capt. Donald MacRae, South Third street. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance and after the transaction of routine business the following officers were elected:

President—Hugh MacRae.
Vice President—T. M. Emerson.
Secretary—W. A. Dick.
Treasurer—J. V. Grainger.
Captain of Green—John J. Blair.

These with Messrs. W. W. Merrell and A. S. Williams constitute the Governing Board.

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Ladies' Mercerize Waist	98c, worth $1.25
Ladies' Flannel Waist	60c, worth $1.25
Ladies' Flannel Waist	$1.00, worth 1.50
Ladies' Broadcloth Waist	$1.25, 1.87, 2.18
Ladies' Silk Waist	77c, $2.38, 3.95

Fascinators (Beeded) 19c, worth 25c. Fur Neck Scarfs, 6 tails, full length 63c, worth $1.50; better at 98c, $1.48, 2.50, worth double. All kinds Hosiery, Notions, Novelties.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Andrew Moreland is back from New York.

— Miss Elliott Emerson returned Sunday evening from Richmond.

— Mr. R. H. Paddison, of Tillery, N. C., is among the Carnival visitors in the city.

— Miss Lucy Latham left yesterday to visit her mother, Mrs. W. N. Cronly, of Clinton.

— Miss Elizabeth H. Scott, of Muncie, Ind., is the guest of her brother, Mr. Robt. Scott.

— Miss Mitt Durant, of Sumter, arrived in the city yesterday to visit her friend, Miss Kate Shalon.

— Mrs. Rogers, accompanied by her little grandson, Robert Strange, returned Sunday from California.

— Mrs. Gertrude Mace, of Centry, S. C., is visiting in the city, the guest of her father, Alderman Z. E. Murrell.

— Mr. G. Henry Haar left Sunday night for New York, where he will be married Wednesday evening to Miss Helen Rosalie Quhane.

— John Gilchrist McCormick, Esq., of Maxton, was here yesterday. He says Robeson will give her old-time majority in the election to-day.

— Rev. E. O. Watson left yesterday morning, returning to Charleston. He spoke to a large mass meeting of men at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon and preached to the congregations of Grace and Fifth Street Methodist churches, Sunday morning and evening, respectively.

THE WILMINGTON SEWERAGE CO.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders Yesterday Afternoon—Officers Elected.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Wilmington Sewerage Company was held at the company's office, No. 112 Princess street, yesterday afternoon.

The meeting was organized by calling Mr. W. E. Worth to the chair. A majority of the stock being represented in person and by proxy, on motion the meeting proceeded to an election of a board of directors, as follows: W. E. Worth and R. R. Bellamy, of Wilmington, N. C.; Robt. L. Forrest and M. M. Freeman, of Philadelphia, Pa., and J. H. Cromie, Jr., Camden, N. J. After the transaction of some other business the meeting adjourned.

Immediately after the adjournment of the stockholders, the directors met and organized by electing Mr. W. E. Worth president, Mr. Robt. L. Forrest vice president, and Mr. J. H. Cromie, Jr., secretary and treasurer. Capt. E. G. Parmele was appointed superintendent.

BIG FIRE AT FLORENCE, S. C.

Pee Dee and Dixie Tobacco Warehouses Burned Yesterday Morning.

Two of the largest tobacco warehouses, the Pee Dee and Dixie, and one big stemmery, besides a number of smaller buildings, including a planing mill, were burned at Florence, S. C., Sunday night, causing a loss of about $40,000. The fire was not subdued until 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The loss was about half covered by insurance.

For Asthma use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

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" Topical Twist Cigars.
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TUESDAY MORNING. NOV. 4.

Democratic State Ticket

This is the Democratic State Ticket, to be voted on November 4th, 1902.

Superintendent of Public Instruction:
JAMES Y. JOYNER,
Guilford County.

Member of the North Carolina Corporation Commission:
EUGENE C. BEDDINGFIELD,
Wake County.

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:
WALTER CLARK,
Wake County.

Associate Justices of the Supreme Court:
HENRY G. CONNOR,
Wilson County.
PLATT D. WALKER,
Mecklenburg County.

For Congress—Sixth District:
GILBERT B. PATTERSON,
of Robeson.

For Solicitor:
Fifth District—Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.
Seventh District—C. C. Lyon, of Bladen.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For the House—George L. Morton.
For the Senate—George H. Bellamy.

COUNTY TICKET.

Clerk Superior Court—Jno. D. Taylor.
Sheriff—Frank H. Stedman.
Register of Deeds—W. H. Biddle.
Treasurer—H. McL. Green.
Coroner—C. D. Bell.
Surveyor—Alex P. Adrian.
Constable, Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.

WHAT BAD ROADS COST.

The United States have the reputation, and justly, of being the most prosperous and progressive country in the world. Cities are judged somewhat by their streets, but if this country were judged by its country roads its reputation for progressiveness would be seriously damaged, if not destroyed. Compared with the roads of the leading countries of Europe our roads, with few exceptions, are wretched makeshifts. There is a growing interest in this subject, and it is about time, for bad roads have been an enormous tax on the farmers of the country, and this means a tax indirectly on everybody else. Some idea of what this tax is may be gathered from the following editorial, which we clip from the Atlanta *Journal*, a paper which has given much attention to the subject of good roads in Georgia. It says:

The cost of bad roads to the people of this country, especially the farmers, is so enormous that it is doubtful whether any adequate estimate of it has ever been made.

Those who have made a long and laborious study of the subject, however, have reached conclusions that are very impressive and suggestive.

The best authorities place the average haul of the American farmer in getting his produce to market, or to the nearest station, at twelve miles. The average cost per ton for haulings over the country roads is $3 for a twelve-mile haul, or 25 cents per ton per mile.

The total number of tons hauled per year by the farmers of this country is estimated at 300,000,000, which makes the cost of getting the surplus farm products of this country to the railroad stations or the local markets no less than $900,000,000 every year, or more than the national debt, while this amount also exceeds the total operating expenses of all the railroads in the United States. It is a surprising statement that it costs more to get the farm products of the country from the fields where they grew to the points where they enter the distributing system than it does to operate the whole railway system of the United States, which comprises one-half of the total railway mileage of the world. If the people of the United States could be brought to understand just what bad roads mean they would reduce the enormous tax that is thus levied. They could do it by improving the highways and neighborhood roads that lead from the great channels of trade to the farmers. They are beginning to understand the difference between good roads and bad roads and the result is to be seen in the remarkable betterment of roads in all parts of the country within the past ten years.

This good work is the best possible evidence of an advance in the material prosperity of the agricultural interests which are and must continue to be the backbone of the nation's strength.

The good roads bureau of the federal government has done a good deal of investigating as to the cost of carrying over the different kinds of roads and submits the following estimates of its chief engineer: The cost of moving one ton by horse power over a mile of sandy road is 62 cents; over damp sand, 32 cents; over ruts and mud, 39 cents; over broken stone and ruts, 26 cents; over a dry, hard earth road, 18 cents; over a broken stone road in good condition, 8 cents; over a hard gravel road, 8.8 cents; over stone paving, 5.33 cents; over asphalt, 2.7 cents. This is the actual cost in time and labor without counting anything for the wear and tear on draft animals and the hardship of the drivers, or the bad temper and profanity engendered, no small item, although it doesn't figure in the dollars and cents estimate.

New Jersey has devoted within the past few years more attention to the road question than any other State in the Union, and has made more progress on that line, and therefore the results in that State, thus told by a writer who has been doing some investigating, will be interesting. He says:

"Formerly it took a wagon weighing 1,900 pounds, with four horses and two men to haul 1½ tons of produce to market from a Camden county farm and bring back a load of fertilizer of the same weight, and then they were a whole day doing it. Often enough the wagon got mired and then it took more than a day. Over one of the new roads it now takes only one man, two horses and a wagon weighing 2,300 pounds to carry a load of four tons to market and bring another load of the same weight back; and the round trip is made in half a day."

With good roads one man and two horses will carry nearly twice as much to and from market as two men and four horses could on the bad roads, in one-half the time and of course with incomparably less labor for both man and horse. With such object lessons, and such actual demonstrations as this there should, and doesn't now seem to be needed any argument to convince people of the value of good roads in New Jersey, and there shouldn't be in any State.

With the exception of New Jersey and Indiana North Carolina is making as much progress on this line as any other State, and she is often referred to as an exemplar by the good roads advocates in other Southern States, who seem to be keeping a pretty close eye upon what we are doing, a fact which should stimulate still greater effort. This is about the only State in the South which thus utilizes convict labor, the good effects of which have been so fully demonstrated in Mecklenburg county, which is now credited with about (3,000 miles of macadamized roads.) Wake and Forsyth, in each of which convict labor has been largely employed. But still notwithstanding the complimentary references by papers in other States to our achievements, we have not yet made a right good start and will not until we map out a broad gauge State road system and put our penitentiary convicts to work upon it. The State should provide the main turnpikes, which would make it a comparatively easy matter for the counties to construct branches to it.

A BIG JOB IN HAND.

The commission appointed by the President to investigate the Pennsylvania coal strike, with a view to adjusting differences between mine operators and miners and preventing further strikes, have undertaken a laborious task much more so, perhaps, than some of them thought when they accepted the appointment, but they seem to be going about it in a very determined, systematic and thorough way, and as far as can be inferred from what has been said and done they intend to secure all the information possible from both sides and to render an honest, impartial decision.

They have begun by imposing upon themselves a very arduous labor, that of visiting the different mines, going down into and through them, and spending hours with the workmen engaged in mining and getting out coal, which was, doubtless, an entirely novel and not altogether a pleasant experience for most if not all of them. Some of them had probably never been so far under ground before in their lives.

It was a happy suggestion, for by thus going under ground, and seeing the work of mining going on they get a better idea of the actual situation than they could have gotten from volumes of testimony if they had not seen for themselves.

They get testimony, too, testimony from the men at work, and the testimony of what they see, which will be worth stacks of written stuff and arguments of counsel who probably know less about it than the commissioners who take these underground tours. But they have undertaken a big work and it will take time to complete it.

CHARLOTTE'S COTTON FACTORIES.

Several days ago we published an extract from the letter of a correspondent of the New York *Sun* on the growth of the cotton manufacturing industry in Charlotte, which is now credited with seventeen cotton manufactories, more than any other city in North Carolina, or perhaps in the South can show. The correspondent pays a high compliment to Mr. D. A. Tompkins, of that city, whom he refers to as the father of the industry in that section.

Mr. Tompkins is entitled to much credit for the good service he has rendered by his instructive and valuable books and addresses, which have, no doubt, done much to stimulate interest in manufactories, but if any one person is entitled to the credit of being called the father of that industry, as far as Charlotte is concerned, it is the man who first suggested the co-oporative plan of establishing mills, the success of the first of which led in a short while to the erection of four or five more.

That man was building better than he knew or better than the community knew, for it was these co-operative mills that gave Charlotte her start as a manufacturing city, brought her to the front and gave her the pre-eminence as the cotton manufacturing center which she now has.

But that wasn't all, for these factories were instrumental in the establishment of various other manufacturing industries, which have done so much to make that humming industrial center what is is, all of which shows what can be done when a community acts in concert and its people pull together.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Charlotte *News*: Mr. Patrick Dooley, who for many years was the faithful night watchman at the Seaboard depot in Monroe, died in that city Friday morning. Age 71 years. Saturday, Mr. Dooley was stricken with paralysis and his condition was considered critical from the first.

— Raleigh *Post*: Fire broke out Friday night in the Trent lumber mills, owned by Thompson Bros., of Philadelphia. The mill is situated on Trent river, close to the business section of the city. The entire mill, dry kiln and two hundred and fifty thousand feet of lumber were consumed. The loss is estimated at $30,000, with no insurance.

— Greensboro *Telegram*: Dr. R. R. Gregory, of this city, has applied for letters of patent on three keyless locks. These three locks are automatic combination locks. The combination in each one can be changed in a moment, and more than a thousand changes can be made in each one. The machinery in them is very simple and substantial, and only consists of three pieces inside of the lock case.

— Salisbury *Sun*: Thursday night about 10:30 o'clock Mr. Wiley Reeves received injuries wh'ch proved fatal. Mr. Reaves was an employe of the weaving department of the Salisbury Cotton Mill and was on the railroad track near the mill Thursday night. What he was doing there, or how he came there, we did not learn. His skull was broken and his brains were oozing out and he was otherwise hurt.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: At the present term of Hertford court a case of great importance was heard. It was the case of T. H. Debnam vs. J. C. Chitty, tax collector for Murfreesboro township. The action was brought by Debnam to restrain and enjoin the defendant from collecting a special tax levied by the county commissioners on the Murfreesboro railroad debt, and to have declared void the bonds issued for the entire indebtedness, aggregating over $40,000. Judge Jones decided the case in favor of the plaintiff, holding that the act under which the election was held was unconstitutional and void, and that the total debt was invalid. Judgment was rendered against the defendant enjoining him from collecting the special tax, from which judgment the defendant appealed to the Supreme Court.

— Rocky Mount *Spokesman*: All Rocky Mount and community were greatly shocked Thursday morning to learn of the tragic death of Mr. John W. Phillips, who was well known here and throughout several adjoining counties. He left his home on Western avenue early in the morning before his family were all up, and coming down town on Tarboro street, in front of Dr. G. L. Wimberly's office, he suddenly placed a pistol to his head and shot himself. The ball entered the right side of the head and above the ear, but did not pass through. He fell backwards, never spoke, but lived about twenty minutes. For some time Mr. Phillips had been suffering greatly from melancholia and his death as it occurred was no great surprise to some.

Food Changed to Poison.

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Messrs. ELY BROS:—I commenced using your Cream Balm about two years ago for catarrh. My voice was somewhat thick and my hearing dull. My hearing has been fully restored and my speech has become quite clear. I am a teacher in our town.

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TWINKLINGS.

— "She's not as pensive as she was before you married her." "No; she's expensive now."—*Indianapolis News.*

— "She's so masculine, isn't she?" "Very. Why, she even fell down in a man-hole the other day."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— One kind of hypocrite is the man who after thanking the Lord for his dinner proceeds to find fault with the cook.—*Chicago News.*

— "I am going up in the Adirondacks shooting with a party of automobilists." "Well, shoot all you can."—*Life.*

— "Jimpsum has invented one of the greatest gas-savers of the age." "Indeed. What is it?" "An oil lamp."—*Baltimore News.*

— "What do you think ought to be done with the trusts?" "I don't know," answered Senator Sorghum. "Heaven knows, I've done my best to make 'em give up."—*Washington Star.*

— "I suppose, in the collecting business," said the inquisitive man, "nearly every man you go to see asks you to call again." "Ask me!" replied the collector. "Some of them dare me."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— Cobwigger—I would prefer a literary life, but as I have business ability I owe it to myself to go into trade. Merritt—If you have the business instinct you can now make more money at literature than at anything else.—*Judge.*

Catching Cod.

Once begun codfishing on the Banks is incessant, and when the fishing is good the men rarely ever sleep. Awakened at 2 a. m. to fill their bait "kids," or tubs, they start at daybreak to lift these trawls and remove the overnight catch, rebaiting the hooks again. There are about 3,000 hooks to handle, and this often occupies until eventide, when the boats row back. After unloading the deck is piled high with the glittering mass of fish. To eviscerate this and stow it in the hold keeps them until midnight, when they snatch an hour or two of sleep.

Some can go without sleep for a week. Others will rub wet tobacco in their eyes so that the pain may keep them wakeful a few hours longer. Others again will work till they drop from sheer exhaustion and sleep as they lie until aroused by comrades. A Chinese torture is to keep men without sleep, and "banking" does this to an extent to satisfy even the most exacting Celestial. The men sleep in their underclothing. When above decks, they can never leave off their oilskins, for on the Banks it is rarely fine. Mist and murk prevail, and the rigging and sails drip water always.—Ainslee's.

A Clerical Pun.

On one occasion at Athy, where Canon Stavely, the English divine, was then stationed, he was visited by the archbishop, whom he induced to visit a new coffee house which had just been opened in the interests of temperance. Naturally the distinguished guest was served with a sample cup of coffee. He tasted it, while Canon Bagot and the manager waited in complacent expectancy of commendation.

They were disappointed. The cup was hastily set aside by the bishop, who ejaculated, with prolonged and unmistakable emphasis:

"A-bom-in-able!"

Then the manager suddenly remembered. "Oh, your grace," he explained, "a box of matches fell into the coffee tank this morning, and I did not think it right to waste all the contents of it."

"If your grace will come again," promised Canon Bagot, interposing quickly, "I faithfully promise you a matchless cup of coffee."

Curran and Sir Boyle Roche.

Sir Boyle Roche, a famous Irish character of a century ago, was proud of his alliance with an English family of ancient lineage and was fond of referring to his titled father-in-law's kindness in giving him his eldest daughter, a boast which provoked Curran's retort, "Aye, Sir Boyle, and, depend on it, if he had had an older one he would have given her to you."

Whether it was this sarcasm which provoked Sir Boyle's hostility or that an enmity had already been created between Roche and Curran, it is certain that the two men were perpetually sparring at each other in the house of commons, as the debates of the Irish parliament testify.

Nor was the witty advocate and orator always successful in these encounters. Curran had observed one night, somewhat magniloquently, that he needed aid from no one and could be "the guardian of his own honor," whereupon Sir Boyle instantly interjected his sarcastic congratulations to the honorable member on his possession of a sinecure.

A Peculiar Politician.

"He's a mighty hard man to get along with," said the practical politician sadly. "Mighty hard."

"He seems thoroughly honest."

"Of course he is. That's what makes him so erratic and unsatisfactory. Every once in awhile he insists on doing something simply because he thinks it is right, without waiting to figure out what its effect on his political prospects is liable to be."—Washington Star.

Interrupted Grieving.

A woman in Scotland had lost her husband, and the minister, calling to condole with her, found her sitting in front of a large bowl of porridge.

"Terrible loss, terrible loss!" sighed the minister.

"Aye," was the reply, "it's a terrible loss to me. I've just been greetin' a' nicht, and as sune as I finish this wee drap porridge I'm just gaun to begin again."

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Many Die Yearly, With Means of Salvation at Hand, Were They But Able to Use Them.

Physicians the world over have known of and believed in the virtues of cod liver oil. They have, alas! also realized its drawbacks and the impossibility of administering it where it would do good. Doctors have seen hundreds of people die of consumption and other wasting diseases, whom they knew might have been saved had they only been able to take enough cod liver oil to obtain from it a sufficient amount of the medicinal principles which it contained.

It is not necessary to go to doctors to know why cod liver oil has not been a popular remedy, or to realize how few people are able to take enough of it to do them any good. The many who have needed and attempted to take this nauseating remedy, if they are still in a position where they need cod liver oil, are the ones who should throw their hats in the air and shout their joy from the housetop at the news which comes to us of Vinol.

These are the people who will never forget the name of this new remedy, nor will they ever cease to thank Mr. Robert R. Bellamy, our prominent druggist, who has become famous in the past few days, on account of his connection with the Boston firm who have introduced this same remedy.

How simple it all sounds, now that we know of it. Here Mr. Bellamy has, right in his store, a preparation that looks like and tastes like delicious wine. It is a delicious wine, only there has been added to it this extract of the cod's liver, this peculiar special extract of the curative principles, the means of obtaining which is the only discovery about Vinol. We do not believe there is an invalid in this city suffering from throat, lung or bronchial troubles, or in fact any wasting disease, but has already interested himself in this preparation.

Mr. Bellamy is kept busy explaining its merits and telling his many friends how it is now possible to take all that is necessary of cod liver oil, or Vinol, its concentrated active medicinal principles, to overcome disease. It has not been a difficult matter for him to explain, as he has done, the absolute uselessness of the grease itself and to demonstrate the great value of the medicinal properties of the liver of the cod. It has not been necessary for him to tell sufferers from such troubles that fat does not make fat, but simply upsets and disarranges the stomach.

There are many people right here in our city who know from but a few day's experience how much benefit they are deriving from this preparation, and who have already learned that medicinal properties of Vinol act in a most wonderful manner in checking the symptoms of disease, while at the same time enabling the stomach to assimilate and digest from palatable, every-day food, the necessary nourishment to renew tissue depleted by disease.

Mr. Robert R. Bellamy is justly pleased at the success that will attend the connection he has made with the prominent Boston firm who are putting up this preparation, and justly deserves all the fame and profit that will attach themselves to his name, on account of his enterprise in introduing Vinol to our city.

Dorothea's Sixteen Cheese.

Little Dorothea is one of those children whose silence when awake is regarded as a certain sign that she is in mischief. One day when she was about two and a half years old her mother gradually became aware of a silence which boded trouble. She was about to look for the baby when Dorothea came in, her rosy lips still bearing the traces of a feast.

"Where have you been, Dorothea? What are you eating?"

"Cheese," said Miss Dorothea.

"Where did you get it, dear?" asked her mother.

"In the mouftrap," answered the delinquent.

"In the mousetrap!" exclaimed the horrified mother.

"Yes."

Then the mother laughed. "But what will the poor mousies do? You will frighten them all away."

"Dey wasn't a bit frightened, mamma. Dey was two mouties in de trap when I eated the cheese."—Brooklyn Life.

The Fishes of Japan.

The islands of Japan are remarkable for their richness of animal life. The variety in climatic and other conditions, the nearness to the great continent of Asia and to the chief center of marine life, the East Indian islands; its relation to the warm black current of Kuro Shivo (the gulf stream of the orient) and to the cold current from Bering sea, all tend to give variety to the fauna of its seas. Especially numerous and varied are the fishes of Japan. It has been noted that the fish fauna of Japan bears a striking resemblance to that of the Mediterranean, and Dr. Gunther has suggested that this can be accounted for by supposing that in recent times a continuous coast line and sea passage extended from one region to the other, the isthmus of Suez not existing.—Popular Science Monthly.

Hair and Grass.

There is a major in a certain English regiment who has a great contempt for incapacity of any kind and is somewhat impatient into the bargain. Some time ago he was in charge of a detachment of men, and a sergeant complained that he could get no man to undertake the duty of barber to the company.

"Is there no gardener in the company?" asked the major testily. "I seem to remember one. Send him to me."

The man was duly sent, but on receiving orders to act as barber ventured to expostulate.

"Great heavens!" yelled the major. "If you can cut grass, you can cut hair! Go and do it."

The man went, but what the others said is unprintable.

A Severe Condition.

"What did Naighbob say when you told him you wanted to marry his daughter?"

"He didn't absolutely refuse, but he imposed a very severe condition."

"What was it?"

"He said he would see me hanged first."

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TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

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Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar steady at $1.35; crude turpentine quiet at $1.00 @3.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	36
Rosin	247
Tar	73
Crude turpentine	104

Receipts same day last year—58 casks spirits turpentine, 303 barrels rosin, 567 barrels tar, 100 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 8c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5⅝	cts. per lb
Good ordinary	7	" "
Low middling	7⅛	" "
Middling	8	" "
Good middling	8 3-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 7⅜c for middling.

Receipts—1,824 bales; same day last year, 3,993.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm, Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 80c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish (new), 65@70c.

CORN—Firm; 70@75c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 21@22c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 10c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 60c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Money on call was quoted at 4@5 per cent.; market closing, bid and asked, at 4@5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½ per cent. Sterling exchange was firmer; actual business in bankers' bills at 486.875 for demand and at 483.50 for sixty days. The posted rates were 484@484½ and 487½@488. Commercial bills 482.75 @483.25. Bar silver 50¾. Mexican dollars quoted at 39¾. Government bonds irregular. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds weak. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 109¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 109¾; U. S 3's, registered, 108¾; do. coupon, 108¼; U. S. 4's, new registered, 136½; do. coupon, 136½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 110¾; do. coupon, 110¾; U. S. 5's, registered, 104¼; do. coupon, 104¼; Southern Railway, 5's, 118¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 105¾. Chesapeake & Ohio 59¼; Manhattan L 136⅞; New York Central 155; Reading 66⅝; do. 1st preferred 87½; do. 2nd preferred 77; St. Paul 187¾; do. pref'd, 193¾; Southern Railway 36¾; do. pref'd 93; Amalgamated Copper ex dividend 65¼; People's Gas 102¾; Sugar 122; Tennessee Coal and Iron 65; U. S. Leather 13⅞; do. pref'd, 90¾; Western Union 91; U. S. Steel 39⅞; do. pref'd 87⅞; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 66⅝; do. preferred, 125; Standard Oil, 680@683.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 1.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 29¾@29¾; do. preferred, 47½@48; bonds, fours, 85@85¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine dull.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 3.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 3.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 51¾c; receipts 172 casks; sales 852 casks; exports 2,672 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 3,733 barrels; sales 1,737 barrels; exports 3,216 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 35, E, $1 40; F, $1 45; G, $1 50; H, $1 75; I, $2 00; K $2 50; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 15.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of one point to a decline of three points under poor early cables which later became better, and with small estimates as to port receipts for the day and talk of cold weather in the western part of the cotton belt, the market rallied four to eight points on the more active positions, but again turned easier on an expected contribution of receipts by Sabine Pass clearances to the amount of 15,082 bales, making the port receipts for the day 61,428 bales against estimates of 47,000. The market was finally easy in tone with net changes showing a rise of one point to a decline of two points. During the afternoon certain parties arrested the decline by absorbing the offerings on the showing made by exports, which for two days show 116,490 bales against port receipts of 106,986 bales. This demand was accelerated by a further falling off in consolidated stocks which are now 86,211 bales under last year's. The selling was in good part for Southern accounts, but the larger local bear operators also sold freely. The sales of futures were estimated at 200,000 bales.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3—Cotton dull at 8 60c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 5,978 bales; stock 52,343 bales.

Spot cotton closed dull; middling uplands 8.60c; middling gulf 8.85c; sales 9,700 bales.

Futures market closed easy; November 8.39, December 8.40, January 8.48, February 8.25, March 8.26, April 8.25, May 8.25, June 8.25, July 8.25, August 8.14.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 61,428 bales; exports to Great Britain 20,789 bales; exports to France 6,291 bales; exports to the Continent 8,900 bales; stock 59,031 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 106,768 bales; exports to Great Britain 64,926 bales; exports to France 6,995 bales; exports to the Continent 44,410 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,365,768 bales; exports to Great Britain 673,375 bales; exports to France 201,052 bales; exports to the Continent 788,671 bales.

Nov. 3.—Galveston, easy at 8¼c, net receipts 10,369 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 8 3-16c, net receipts 2,899 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 8.65, net receipts 12 bales; Wilmington, firm at 8¼c, net receipts 1,824 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8.85c, net receipts 101 bales; Savannah, quiet at 7¾c, net receipts 8,589 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 8c, net receipts 17,526 bales; Mobile, quiet at 7 15 16c, net receipts 1,942 bales; Memphis, easy at 7⅞c, net receipts 11,831 bales; Augusta, firm at 8 1-16c, net receipts 1,494 bales; Charleston, quiet at 7 15-16c; net receipts 3,084 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3—Flour was dull and 5 to 10 points lower to sell, owing to the wheat decline. Rye flour steady. Wheat—Spot easier; No. 2 red 77c. Options closed steady at ¼c net decline. Sales: March closed 79¾, May closed 77⅝c; December closed 78c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2, 65c. Options closed unchanged from Saturday's 1 o'clock curb. Sales: January closed 50½c; February closed 50½c; May closed 56⅝c; December closed 55c. Oats—Spot easy; No. 2 34c. Options—December closed 35¾c. Lard nominal; Western steam $11 25; November closed $11 25, nominal; refined steady; continent $11 50. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5¾c; mild steady; Cordova 7¼@12c. Sugar—Raw quoted firm; fair refining 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test 3¾c; refined firm. Potatoes firm; Long Island $2 00@2 12; South Jersey sweets $1 75@3 75; Jerseys $1 72@2 00; New York and Western per 180 lbs., $1 75 @2 00. Butter irregular; extra creamery 25c; State dairy 18@24c. Cheese—Market quoted quiet; new State full cream, small colored fancy old 12¾c; new 12¾c; small white old 12¾; new 12¼c. Peanuts easy; fancy hand picked 5@5¼; other domestic 3½@5¼. Cabbages easy; Long Island per 100 $1 50@3 00. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 12c. Eggs steady to weak; State and Pennsylvania average best 24@25c; Western candied 22 @24c; refrigerated 18¼@21c. Cotton seed oil closed weak. Prices: Prime crude here 30½@31c, nominal; prime crude f. o. b. mills 27@27½c; prime summer yellow 34½@35c; off summer yellow 34c; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40½c; prime mesl $27 00@28 00 nominal.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Wheat ruled weak on the Board of Trade to-day, statistics in general being bearish, and the close was steady with December wheat ½c lower, December corn ½c lower and December oats down ½c lower. January provisions closed unchanged to 7½c lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 72c; No. 3 spring 68@71c; No. 2 red 70@70½c. Corn—No. 2 53c; No. 2 yellow 54c. Oats—No. 2 28c; No. 2 white —; No. 3 white 28@33c. Rye—No. 2 48¾c. Mess pork, per barrel, $16 62½@16 75. Lard, 100 lbs., $10 75. Short rib sides, loose, $10 62½ @10 87½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 87½@10 00. Short clear sides, boxed, $9 75@10 00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 October 70¾, 70¼, 70, 70¾c; December 71¾@71¾, 71⅞, 71¼, 71¾@71⅝c; May 73@73¾, 73¾, 73¼, 73¾@73c. Corn—No. 2 November 53½, 53¾, 52¾, 52½c; December 50½@50½, 50¾, 49¾, 50¾c; May 41¾@41⅞, 42, 41⅛, 41¾@41⅝c. Oats—No. 2 December, new, 29¾@29¾, 29¾, 29¼, 29¾@29¾c; May 31½, 31⅝, 30⅝, 30¾@31c. Mess pork, per bbl, January $15 35, 15 45, 15 15, 15 27½; May $14 50, 14 55, 14 27, 14 42½. Lard, per 100 lbs—November $10 50 10 50, 10 50, 10 50; December $9 57½, 9 70, 9 57½, 9 65; January $9 12½, 9 20, 9 12½, 9 20; May $8 42½, 8 47½, 8 37½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $8 17½, 8 20, 8 05, 8 12½; May $7 72½, 7 72½, 7 65, 7 67½.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 3.—Cotton: Spot, moderate demand, prices four points lower; American middling fair 4 98-100d; good middling 4 68-100d; middling 4 60-100d; low middling 4 50-100d; good ordinary 4 38-100d; ordinary 4 26-100d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,500 bales American. Receipts 5,000 bales, no American.

Futures opened quiet and closed very steady; American middling (g o c) November 4 46-100d seller; November and December 4 42-100d seller; December and January 4 40-100d seller; January and February 4 39-100d buyer; February and March 4 39-100d seller; March and April 4 39-100d seller; April and May 4 39-100d seller; May and June 4 39-100d seller; June and July 4 38-100d buyer; July and August 4 38-100d value.

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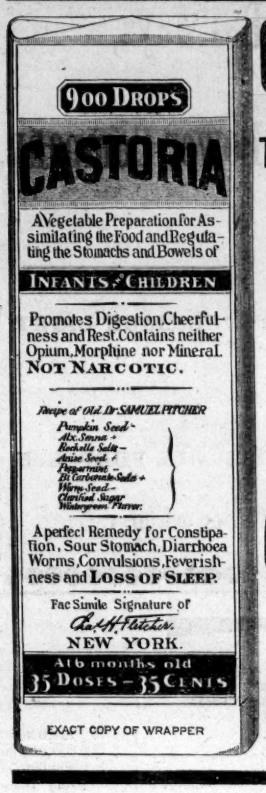
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In public conveniences, however, Greece is still far behind the times. Athens is the only place where the hotels are tolerable, and travelers who go into the interior must take their own provisions and bedding. Even those who make little excursions by carriage for a single day in the neighborhood of Athens must carry a lunch basket, because the inns are primitive and filthy. Railway facilities are limited. With a few exceptions the roads are bad, but they are gradually improving, and most of the centers of great interest to tourists may now be reached by carriage. Only a few years ago travelers had to go on horseback or on foot, as they do in the Holy Land. Even now those who visit some of the most interesting places have to put up with discomforts, inconveniences and a good deal of dirt and bad smells, although they are fully repaid.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Why the Church Was Crowded.

A certain little Flemish watering place much frequented by English and American visitors has two attractions, a Presbyterian church and a roulette table. At a recent service in the church it occurred to one of the "pillars" that it might be lucky to play the number of the hymn after the sermon at the roulette table. So he stole out of the church and did so. It happened that the number of the hymn did turn up, and the lucky coup became the talk of the village for the rest of the week.

Next Sunday the church was crammed to the door. The pious pastor was rejoiced in heart. After a powerful address he gave out "hymn No. 27." The moment the words left his lips, to his consternation, there was a rush to the door, and he was left with a faithful handful to upraise their agitated strain of praise.

As for the rest, they made a bee line from the house of prayer to the house of play. It is said that their little adventure cost them all very dear.

Mother at Prayer.

Once, says a writer, I suddenly opened the door of my mother's room and saw her on her knees beside her chair and heard her speak my name in prayer. I quickly and quietly withdrew with a feeling of awe and reverence in my heart. Soon I went away from home to school, then to college, then into life's sterner duties. But I never forgot that one glimpse of my mother at prayer nor the one word—my own name—which I heard her utter. Well did I know that what I had seen that day was but a glimpse of what was going on every day in that sacred closet of prayer, and the consciousness strengthened me a thousand times in duty, in danger and in struggle. When death came at last and sealed those lips, the sorest sense of loss I felt was the knowledge that no more would my mother be praying for me.

The Ingredients of Fireworks.

The chief constituents of all fireworks are gunpowder and its ingredients. Iron and steel filings and cast iron borings, free from rust, are used to increase the brightness of the display and produce the Chinese fire. When the rocket explodes up in the air, the bright and varicolored sparks are produced by these filings as they ignite in the oxygen.

Copper filings and copper salts are used to produce greenish tints. A fine blue is made with zinc filings. A light greenish tint with much smoke is made out of sulphuret of antimony. Amber, resin and common salt protected from dampness produce a yellow fire. Salts of strontia make a red light. A green light is also made by the salts of barium.

Deserted at the End.

William the Conqueror was a man of very gross habit of body and at the siege of Mantes was hurt by the rearing of his horse, the pommel of the saddle striking the king in the abdomen and causing injuries from which he died in a few days. Before his death he was deserted by all his attendants, who stole and carried off even the coverings of the bed on which he lay. The body remained on the floor of the room in which the king died for two days before it was buried by charitable monks from a neighboring monastery.

Typographical Errors.

American authors, no less than English, sometimes suffer for the sins of the printer. A line of Mr. Aldrich's which originally read "A potent medicine for gods and men" was misprinted "A patent medicine," etc. And Mr. Aldrich's equanimity was upset on another occasion because in a serious mood he wrote in one of his poems "Now the old wounds break out afresh" and was horrified to read that he had said "Now the old woman breaks out afresh."

Replanting the Seeds.

Nubbins (shouting across the garden fence to his next door neighbor)—Hi, there! What are you burying in that hole?

Neighbor—Oh, I'm just replanting some of my garden seeds.

Nubbins—Garden seeds, eh! Looks to me very much like one of my hens.

Neighbor—That's all right. The seeds are inside her.

A King's Miserable End.

Louis XI., after having by open murder or secret assassination rid himself of the most powerful nobility of France, died in miserable fear, begging his physician to do something for him. During his last days he sent for St. Francis of Paula and offered him untold riches to intercede with heaven for a further lease of life.

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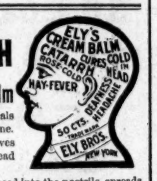

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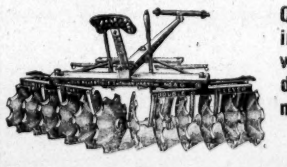

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Schedule in Effect April 13.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington at 3:05 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5:30 P. M., Pembroke 5:46 P. M., Maxton 6:15 P. M., Hamlet 7:15 P. M., Charlotte 10:30 P. M.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 4:50 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:30 A. M., Lumberton 9:50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.35 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.15 a m
Ar Chester	1.35 a m	10.39 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	6.13 a m	2.50 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.50 a m	4.55 p m

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Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.30 a m
Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	2.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.00 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.25 a m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.35 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.35 a m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 8.50 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 38, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

From train 66 leaving Jacksonville 3.05 p. m.; Savannah 12.10 p. m.; Columbia 3.55 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 8.05 a. m.

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Lost by a Toy Balloon.

Diamonds and other jewels have been lost in all sorts of queer ways, but in none more unusual than the accident mentioned in the Boston Transcript, by which a diamond brooch was snatched from the owner's dress and left somewhere on the great plains.

A young woman was traveling by rail through Kansas. At Kinsley, where the train made a considerable stop, a fair was in progress. Here the young woman bought of a peddler a toy balloon for a little girl who had won her fancy.

The child was delighted with the plaything, and as they rode along she chatted with her new friend and pulled the balloon up and down. At length she playfully fastened the string to the lady's diamond brooch.

The train was rounding a curve at the moment, and a strong gust of air came through the car. The balloon was carried out through the open window. The sudden jerk on the string loosened the brooch, and away it sailed.

The jewel was so valuable that the young woman offered a reward of $500 for its recovery. Spurred by this incentive, cowboys scoured the plains for days in all directions, but without success.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule in Effect Sept. 15, 1902.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. — No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.25 A. M., Lanes 11.26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. — No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.30 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.42 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 P. M. — No. 43—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.31 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.53 P. M., Petersburg 5.40 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 2.05 A. M., Philadelphia 4.05 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., *Boston 2.30 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 9.35 P. M — No. 69—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. — No. 35—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M., Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M., Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 8.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 49—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M., Weldon 1.50 A. M., Norfolk 1.00 P. M., Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.34 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. — No. 41—From North Richmond Wilson.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. — No 63—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. — No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M — No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY — No. 52—From Sanford.

7.30 P M — Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 P M — No. 50—From Charleston Florence.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	2 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 13	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 27	9 00
7 05	7 07	Morehead City	7 03	7 37
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.50 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 5.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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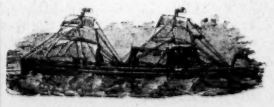

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CLYDE..... Saturday, Nov. 8

From Wilmington for New York.

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From Wilmington for Georgetown.

CLYDE..... Tuesday, Oct. 28

ONEIDA..... Tuesday, Nov. 4

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Old English Police Tax.

The chief authorities of towns in past ages incurred much responsibility. At Ripon we have a good example of their liabilities. Here formerly, after the blowing of a horn at 9 o'clock at night and until sunrise next morning, if a house were robbed and the owner and his servants had taken proper precautions for its safety, the wakeman had to make good the loss sustained. Each householder paid an annual tax of twopence if he had one door and fourpence if he had two doors to his dwelling for maintaining a watch over the city. The tax has long since been discontinued, but the horn is still blown at night.

Lashed For His Discovery.

According to an old document discovered some time ago in Australia, gold was first found by a convict near Paramatta in 1789. The unfortunate fellow was at once charged with having stolen a watch and "boiled it down" and, being convicted by the rude court of those early days, was given 150 lashes for his pains. In later years the record of this incident was closely examined by an undoubtedly competent authority, who was quite convinced of the genuineness of the convict's story.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, NOV 4.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Regular Monthly Meeting of the Board Yesterday Afternoon—Jurors for Superior Court, Nov. 24th.

The County Commissioners met in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon, Mr. Gabriel Holmes presiding in the absence of Chairman McEachern. All other members were present. The proceedings were principally routine.

W. E. Weaver, Geo. Wolf and L. Barfield, all white and of Wilmington township, were exempted from poll tax on account of physical disability. Wm. Williams and wife, of Cape Fear township, were allowed $3 per month from the poor fund.

Dr. McMillan, superintendent of health, reported having treated 134 patients in the office and having visited 28 patients at their homes. With the exception of a few chills, all the inmates of the county institutions are in good health. The reports of the Register of Deeds for September and October were approved.

Commissioner Alexander, chairman of the Roads and Bridges Committee, turned over to J. T. Foy check for $5.25 for 2,100 rails for the county fence and also reported having given permission for a gate in the fence to Messrs. K. W. Bordeaux and D. L. Futch, provided same is kept locked.

The following jurors were drawn for the one-week term of New Hanover Superior Court to be convened Nov. 24th for the trial of criminal cases: Jno. F. Divine, T. H. Hayden, A. B. Corinth, H. B. Bessent, W. L Vann, R. J. Smith, Sam'l Bear, Sr., Robt. E. Smith, C. E. Hall, Julius Sternberger, E. Piner, J. R. Ottoway, J. W. Hewett, W. F. Craig, Walter Smallbones, L. M. Bunting, D. D. Cameron, W. A. Rourk, J. T. McCumber, J. L. Daddow, Jno. J. Fowler, W. S. McFatter, H. C. Porter, D. J. Benson, J. Herbert Johnson, C. W. Woodard, H. L. Rew, W. F. Butler, B. B. Brown, Chas. T. Johnson, Jno D. Bender, Jno. S. Barnes, James Sprunt, C. W. Woolard, Mark A. Jones, J. H. Southerland.

WRECK ON THE COAST LINE.

Florida and West Indian Limited Crashed Into Freight at Elm City Saturday Midnight—Engineer Killed.

Saturday midnight at Elm City, near Wilson, N. C., and 12 or 15 miles south of Rocky Mount, the Atlantic Coast Line Florida and West Indian Limited, southbound and running 50 miles an hour, crashed into the rear of a freight train as the latter was just taking the siding at the station named and had failed to entirely clear the main track.

Engineer W. W. Currie, of Florence, S. C., was almost instantly killed and Fireman Scott escaped with only serious injury by jumping. The brave engineer, who lost his life, is said to have started to jump, but reflecting, got back on his seat and went to death with his engine. He had just taken charge at Rocky Mount and was caught beneath his ponderous machine. Two or three mail clerks were more or less injured and were sent to the A. C. L. hospital at Rocky Mount. None of the passengers was hurt. Eight cars were derailed and all were more or less demolished.

The Florida and West Indian Limited is among the most handsomely-appointed trains in the country, and makes the run from New York to Jacksonville in remarkably fast time. It was composed Saturday night of one baggage-car, one combination-car, and five Pullmans. The passengers for the most part were wealthy Northerners going South.

In consequence of the wreck all A. C. L. trains Sunday were more or less delayed. The 10:10 A. M. train from the North did not reach Wilmington until just before 6 P. M.

Engineer Currie is said to have been one of the most competent men in the service. He leaves a wife but no children. The remains were sent to Florence for interment.

— The unknown white man picked up unconscious on the wharf Saturday night with one of his legs badly mashed proved to be William Sedgewick, 38 years of age, a fireman on one of the British steamers in port. He doesn't know how his injuries were received. Amputation will not be necessary unless complications set in.

BANTAM WEIGHTS.

Harry Forbes Met Two Men in the Same Ring and Defeated Both.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Harry Forbes, the bantam weight champion, met two men in the same ring here tonight and defeated both. His opponents were George Halliday, of New York, and Billy Finucane, of Chicago. Each contest was scheduled for six rounds. Halliday met Forbes first and was knocked out after two minutes of fighting in the first round. Finucane managed to last the six rounds, but was in bad shape and Forbes was given the verdict.

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PURSUING THEIR INVESTIGATIONS.

Anthracite Strike Commissioners Investigating Mine Workings and Homes of Miners.

ACCOMPANIED BY OWNERS.

A Spirited Discussion With John Markle, the Independent Operator—A Visit to the Anthracite Mines—Witness the Firing of a Blast.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

HAZLETON, PA., November 3.—The anthracite strike commission spent the entire day in the Lehigh Valley region, visiting one mine and several of the mining villages. While most of the commissioners were looking over the territory, Recorder Wright was kept busy on the train in attending to the correspondence of the commission. Among the matters he disposed of was the sending of a copy of President Mitchell's statement of the miners' case, which was filed with the commission on Sunday night before its departure from Scranton for this region, to all the coal companies involved in the present controversy. Under the agreement made before the commission at Washington the operators will make a reply in three or four days.

The trip of the commission through this region was an interesting one, the conditions of mining being somewhat different from those existing in the Lackawanna and Wyoming vallies. At nearly every station a small crowd was gathered to get a glimpse of the members of the commision.

The commission's first stop of the day was at Upper Lehigh, where A. C. Leisenring, superintendent of the Upper Lehigh Coal Company, took the commissioners for a drive through the town. While in this place the arbitrators visited one of the homes of the miners, the first they have been in since they have been touring the region. Drifton was the next place visited and there a crowd gathered about the commission as Superintendent Smith, of Cox Brothers Company, whose mines are located there, explained the trouble between the company and its men.

At Jeddo John Markle, the independent operator, joined the party and escorted the commissioners to the mining village of Oakdale, near Jeddo. Mr. Markle showed them the club house which he maintains there for the benefit of the men. On the run into Hazleton, where the breaker of No. 40 shaft was inspected, Messrs. Markle, Duffy and Gallagher had a spirited discussion over the differences existing at the Markle mines. Mr. Markle told them he was running the Markle Company and would maintain discipline.

The entire afternoon was spent in the Audenreid mine, near here. The commissioners were lowered into the workings 350 feet below through an 1,100 foot slope. One of the new "physical features" they saw was a vein of coal with a very steep pitch, which was difficult to mine. While they were inspecting this a blast was fired in a nearby chamber, and the lights carried by those who remained in the gangways below were extinguished by the rush of air. Some of the party were timid for a moment, wondering what had happened, but they were quickly assured that there was no danger by men familiar with the mine.

VANDERLIP IN CHARLOTTE.

Spoke on Credit Currency at a Meeting of the Manufacturers' Club.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Nov. 3.—Henry A. Vanderlip, former assistant secretary of the treasury addressed a large gathering of bankers and business men at the Manufacturers Club here tonight. He was the guest of the Commercial club introduced by J L Chambers, the president of the club. Mr. Vanderlip spoke on "Credit Currency," and after referring to the recent tight money incident in New York, said:

"I confidently believe that we will escape a repetition of such a period of extreme stringency, as this, a situation which we have came to expect with every year's crop movement if we would do what other great nations have done and provide an assets bank note currency properly safe guarded, but designed to permit expansion in the times of usual demand, and then what is quite as important compel contraction as the demand became less urgent."

NEW ORLEANS STREET CARS.

Enforcing Law for Separate Accommodations of Whites and Blacks.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 3—The new State law, requiring street car companies to provide separate accommodations for whites and blacks, went into effect to-day and is being enforced with difficulty.

The companies have reserved the rear seats for negro passengers and placed screens in the cars, but since the recent strike the decrease in number of cers operated is so great that all of them are generally crowded to the guards. The whites are consequently insisting upon riding in seats set aside for blacks, and overwhelmed by superior numbers the conductors are finding it practically impossible to make the law effective. Negroes in many instances had difficulty in getting aboard cars to-day. They had some wordy disturbances resulting from the attempt to enforce the law, but no arrests have been reported at police headquarters.

BATTLESHIP TEXAS.

Placed in Commission Under Hurry Orders—Goes to Isthmian Waters.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 3.—For the first time since the Spanish war, work was continued all of Sunday at the Norfolk navy yard. Rush orders had been received to put the battleship Texas in commission immediately and gangs of workmen labored continuously all of Sunday. At 1:30 this afternoon the flag was raised over the vessel and she is ready for sea.

While no positive verification can be secured, it is reported at the navy yard that the Texas will proceed at once to isthmian waters. The Prairie has arrived in Hampton Roads from Annapolis and is being coaled. She has three hundred marines on board and it is expected she will sail for the Isthmus of Panama at once.

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ON THE EVE OF A GREAT BATTLE.

Democratic Leaders Claim That a Landslide for the Party in New York State

IS NOT AT ALL IMPROBABLE.

Claim a Majority for Coler of at Least 50,000—Republican Leaders Stand to their Estimate of 37,000 Majority for Governor Odell.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The lull before the opening of the final struggle to morrow finds the leaders of both the great parties still claiming large and in many instances increased pluralities for their respective candidates.

Frank Campbell, chairman of the State Democratic Committee, has declared himself convinced that his estimate of 35,000 plurality in the State for Coler for Governor erred on the side of modesty and expressed confidence that the candidate is sure of election by at least 50,000. Mr. Campbell, who is at his home in Bath, declared to-night that that his increased estimate was based on late information which indicated that a landslide for the Democratic party might be expected to-morrow. He thought it not improbable that Mr. Coler's plurality might run as high as 55,000 votes. Mr. Coler, himself, is still more sanguine, being sure to-night than the governorship will be his by a plurality of fully 60,000 votes.

Colonel George W. Dunn, chairman of the Republican State Committee, on the other hand, stands fast to his original estimate of 37,000 plurality for Odell, which is practically the same as that of the candidate himself.

John G. Carlisle, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, said to-day that while he did not look for a Democratic landslide he was satisfied that Coler would have a plurality of at least 35,000 votes and that he would carry eight or ten counties outside of Greater New York, including Erie and Albany.

Despite the enormous divergence of estimates, there is at the last moment practically no change in the betting, the odds remaining at 2 to 1 on Odell.

Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, could see no reason tonight for changing his estimate of 112,000 plurality for Coler in Greater New York. Of this he expected 78,000 votes to be contributed by Manhattan and The Bronx, 30,000 by Brooklyn, 3,000 by Queens and 1,000 by Richmond. Republican estimates refuse to concede more than 45,000 in Manhattan and The Bronx and cut down Brooklyn to 14,000, reducing the Democratic plurality below The Bronx to about 60,000 or just about half Mr. Murphy's figures.

Will Sweep North Carolina.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 3.—The reports received indicate that there will be a sweeping Democratic victory tomorrow with a majority for the State ticket of 50,000 to 60,000. All indications point to nine Democratic Congressmen certain, with ten probable. The Republicans say they have hopes in two districts, the Eighth and Tenth, and claim they will win in both.

RALEIGH, N. C., November 3 — Hon. Josephus Daniels, Democratic national committeeman, says in the *News and Observer*, of which he is editor, that to-morrow the Democratic State ticket will have a majority of over 65,875, these figures being based on returns from every county. Registration shows 234,687 whites and 6,245 colored. He claims every district for the Democrats, with one hundred representatives and forty-three senators. Eighty-five counties Democratic, twelve Republican.

Senator Simmons, Democratic State chairman, says the majority will be about 60,000. He predicts a majority in Congress, and says this will be followed by the election of a Democratic president in 1904. He claims ten Democratic Congressmen from North Carolina.

Democrats Claim Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Nov. 3.—Senators Fairbanks and Beveridge, who have delivered speeches in nearly every county in the State, are out with statements claiming the State will go Republican by from 20,000 to 30,000, and that their party will have a majority in both houses of the Legislature.

State Chairman O'Brien of the Democratic committee said: "The conditions are very satisfactory and every indication points to a sweeping Democratic victory. We will elect a majority of the Senators and will carry the House of Representatives. We will increase our congressional representation."

WARM WIRELETS

President Roosevelt reached Oyster Bay, L. I., at 7:30 yesterday evening in order to cast his vote to-day.

The United States training ship Monongahela, which has been at Fort Monroe several days, sailed for New York yesterday evening.

The ore diggers at the Rorer iron mines of the Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company, near Roanoke, Va., went on a strike yesterday. The men are making a dollar a day, and want a ten per cent. increase. There are 125 of them.

Former Senator John H. Reagan, the only surviving member of the Confederate cabinet, is reported to be almost fully recovered from the accident which he recently suffered. Judge Reagan expects to cast his vote in to day's election.

Decidedly Unreasonable.

Clara—Men are the most impatient creatures. Harry knows that I have an offer from Mr. Oldchap, who is just rolling in wealth, yet Harry is just as unreasonable and babyish as if he thought I really cared for that old grayhead. Harry is so ugly about it that he won't do me the smallest favor.

Mother—What did you ask Harry to do?

Clara—I merely asked him to wait and be my second husband.—New York Weekly.

He Knew It.

He was being gently chaffed about his stammering. He took the badinage with customary good nature.

"T-t-that's r-right, b-b-b-boys!" he smiled. "I'm a s-s-stammerer all right. Wh-wh-why! Wh-when I w-w-w-w-wa— When I w-ant vinegar for m-my s-s-s-salad, I c-c-call for s-s-sweet cider, and it's v-vinegar b-b-by the ti-time I g-g-get it!" — San Francisco Bulletin.

For Whooping Cough use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

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PAINE'S Celery Compound

Makes Permanent Cures in Chronic and Complicated Cases of Rheumatism.

It Gives New Life to Helpless and Crippled Men and Women.

Professor Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL. D., has given to his profession a positive and permanent cure for all forms of rheumatism from which so many suffer in the autumn season. To the rheumatic, this truth should prove encouraging and comforting. Men and women suffering intense agonies from a disease that frequently stiffens the joints, cripples the limbs and renders its victims quite helpless, can be restored to activity, vigor and health, if Paine's Celery Compound be used for a few weeks. There is every reason why sufferers should pin their faith to this best of medicines. Your friends and neighbors have used it with success; the honest physician is prescribing it every day in cases where all other means have failed, and they are delighted with the happy results. Why hesitate, or doubt the powers, virtues and efficacy of the medicine that is curing thousands to day? It is your only hope; your safety and life depend upon its use. Lizzie Pierce, Folger, Tenn., once helpless and in a critical condition from rheumatism, writes thus:

"I had rheumatism so bad that I could not walk, and could not bear to have my legs moved; I often thought the disease would kill me. I commenced taking Paine's Celery Compound. I used two bottles and have not had the slightest symptom of rheumatism since. I wish I could tell the whole world the good your medicine has done me. My mother, who had rheumatism for years, was cured by Paine's Celery Compound after using a few bottles. She can run now like a child and says she feels ten years younger. I could tell you of a dozen or more people who were cured by Paine's Celery Compound."

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Uncalled For Courtesy.

The Vicomte Toussaint was formerly a colonel in the French army and mayor of Toulouse. He was a brave man and a dashing officer. During one of the hottest engagements of the terrible year, noticing that his troops were bending forward under a galling fire to escape the bullets of the enemy while he alone maintained an erect position, he exclaimed, "Since when, I should like to know, has so much politeness been shown to the Prussians?" The sarcasm took instantaneous effect, for the soldiers rushed forward and carried everything before them.

Cats In Ancient Wales.

An ancient statute ascribed to Howel the Good, a Welch prince, who ruled in 948, regulated the price of cats. A penny was the price of a kitten before its eyes were open, twopence until it had caught its first mouse, fourpence when it was old enough for combat. He who stole a cat from the royal granaries forfeited either a milk ewe, with its fleece and lamb, or as much wheat as would cover the body of the cat suspended by its tail, with its nose touching the ground. A penny was a coin of great purchasing power in the tenth century.

An Innocent Query.

At a dinner party in England the host introduces to the favorable notice of the company, amid murmurs of admiration, a splendid truffled pheasant.

"Isn't it a beauty?" he says. "Dr. So-and-so gave it to me; killed it himself."

"Ah! What was he treating it for?" says one of the guests.

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Chills and Fevers is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price. 50c. sa tu th

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North Carolina Conference, Methodist Protestant Church, Asheboro N. C., Nov. 20th. Dates of sale Nov. 19th and 20th. Final limit Nov. 27th. Rate, $6 20.

Baptist Educational and Missionary Convention, Smithfield, N. C., Nov. 11th-16th. Dates of sale Nov 9th, 10th and 11th. Final limit Nov 18th. Rate, $5.05.

State Conference County School Superintendents, Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 12th-14th. Dates of sales, Nov. 10th, 11th and 13th. Final limit Nov. 17th. Rate, $6.55

American Federation of Labor, New Orleans, La., Nov. 13th 23nd. Dates of sale Nov. 11th and 12th. Final limit Nov. 24th. Rate, $35.00.

American Bankers' Association, New Orleans, Nov. 11th to 13th. Dates of sale, Nov. 8th. 9th and 10th. Final limit ten days in addition to date of sale, $25.00.

United Daughters of the Confederacy, New Orleans, La., November 12th to 15th. Dates of sale November 8th, 9th and 10th. Final Limit, ten days in addition to date of sale, $25 00

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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,

October 9th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors, and will be held at the office of said company in the City of Richmond, Virginia, on Monday, the 17th day of November, A. D. 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to increase the present capital stock of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company to the amount of fifteen million dollars, to consist of one hundred and fifty thousand shares of the common stock, each of the par value of one hundred dollars, the same to be in addition to the capital stock already issued and outstanding; and for the purpose, also, of voting upon a proposition to increase the bonded indebtedness of the company by the issue of thirty-five millions of dollars in collateral trust purchase money fifty year four per cent. gold bonds; such additional stock and bonds to be applied and used, as far as may be necessary, to and towards the payment of the purchase price of three hundred and six thousand shares of the capital stock of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company, which, under the terms of the purchase thereof, is to be pledged as collateral security for the payment of said bonds.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JAS. F. POST,

oct 17 1m Secretary.

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